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EARLY RETURN OF INDICTMENTS

Grand Jury at Los Angeles Proceeding With Inquiry Into Times Explosion—Five Men May Be Indicted

SIX WITNESSES EXAMINED YESTERDAY

San Francisco Men Tell About Procuring of Powder at Giant Works—Mr. Rogers Also Testifies

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 2.—The assembling of the thirty witnesses from San Francisco and vicinity marked a phase of the grand jury investigation of the Times disaster today, for which the return of indictments is expected to supply the climax within a week. Three true bills are confidently anticipated by officials of the district attorney's office. There may be four, and possibly two more. Three or four indictments will name the alleged principals in the plot which resulted in the destruction of the Los Angeles Times plant and the death of 21 of its men. The other two will bring suspected aides of the plotters to trial as accessories.

Six witnesses were examined today. Among them were Earl Rogers, who directed the search for evidence in the north, and J. D. Zianini, a powder expert. The other four were from San Francisco and vicinity. Twenty-six more, including Olaf Tveitmo, Anton Johansson and others, are prominent in the list of indicted persons. San Francisco men were waiting the call of the inquisitors when the grand jury adjourned until tomorrow.

The foundation to support the allegation that it was a dynamite explosion which wrecked the Times plant was laid by the survivors of the disaster, who testified Friday and Monday. The line of inquiry taken by the grand jury today was indicated by the witnesses called to the stand this morning and afternoon.

Besides Rogers and Zianini, there were Geo. H. Phillips, assistant manager of the Giant powder works; Bruce McCaull, shipping clerk at Giant; who dispatched the consignment of dynamite ordered by "Bryson," "Morris" and "Leonard"; Douglas Burrows of Oakland, whose boat the "Blanche" was chartered by the alleged conspirators; and Harrison N. Nutter, clerk of a waterfront hardware firm, who sold the aluminum letters to make the name "Peerless," which was substituted for Pastime on the little vessel. The examination of the rest of the witnesses probably will require the rest of the week. Then will come the indictments, if the evidence developed can stand the test of the grand jury probe.

Attorney Rogers was on the stand most of the afternoon.

New Cholera Cases
ROME, Nov. 2.—Ten new cases of cholera were reported during the last 24 hours, with two deaths.

WRECK OF THE MAINE

Colonel Jasper E. Brady Says it Was Caused by Fanatical Spanish Electrician

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 2.—That Jose Zavaldo, a Spanish electrician, working in Moro Castle, and probably a fanatic, was responsible for the destruction of the battleship Maine was the statement made here tonight by Col. Jasper E. Brady, retired. Col. Brady says he was one of a company of four who investigated the explosion and reported their findings to President McKinley. "Of course, I did not see this man turn on the switch which set free the mines which caused the disaster," said the colonel, "but the evidence in the case pointed directly to his guilt. Three other army officers, whose

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VICTORIA'S APPLES

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2.—The Victoria Fruit Growers' Association secured signal honors at the National Apple Show now being held here when the exhibit of apples of the King variety was awarded the first prize. The exhibit, an entire carload, was the centre of attraction, and despite the keen competition, carried off the premier honors.

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Melton Prior, the noted war artist and correspondent, was one of the old school of war correspondents, a veteran who saw many campaigns. He was born in Victoria when returning from the Russo-Japanese campaign six years ago, and visited this city on several occasions, accompanying King George to Victoria when, as Duke of York, he made the trip throughout the Empire in 1901. The little man was a favorite in every camp, and like Kipling, Kim was a street car. Since the Russo-Japanese campaign Melton Prior has not done much foreign work, having failed in health. He was over sixty years of age.

NEGOTIATIONS BEGIN SATURDAY

Hon. Mr. Fielding Announces Date for Opening Talk on Reciprocity—Basis for Trade Proposals

OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—Hon. W. S. Fielding announces that the reciprocity negotiations will begin at Ottawa on Saturday, and that Hon. Wm. Patterson representing Canada, Charles M. Pepper, Henry M. Hoyt, controller of the Washington state department, and Consul General Foster will represent the United States.

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sketches which have since been so familiar to readers of the Illustrated London News, with the pencilled notes, appeared then. The following year he was present at the Tait's rising, and went afterward to the Herazogovian Serbian, Turkish, Kafir, Hazar, Zulu and Boer wars; Egyptian campaign of 1882, Sudan and Nile expeditions, Burmese war, Venezuelan, Brazilian and Argentine revolutions, Jameson Raid, Matabele war, Afriki war and Northwest India frontier campaigns, and Cretan insurrection. He was in Ladysmith during the siege in 1900. From 1872 to 1886 he was only one year without seeing service. His last campaigns were the Somali-Japanese war. The late Melton Prior accompanied many notable personages on their travels. In 1875 he went to Athens with the Prince of Wales, he accompanied the King of Denmark's expedition through Iceland, and was with the Marquis and Marchioness of Lorne when they came to Canada, visiting Victoria. He was present at the Berlin Conference, and was at every state ceremony during his stay in England; also at the funeral of the late and wedding of the present Czar of Russia. He

representative of the provisional government at Washington, instructing him to request the release by the American government of H. N. Seccrest, who was arrested a short time ago in Chicago, in connection with the printing of counterfeit Nicaraguan five peso notes. It is said that Seccrest acted under orders from the revolutionary leaders. The orders were issued prior to the retirement of Madrid and were subsequently cancelled. In fact, the cancellation orders were received by Seccrest too late to prevent him from coming into conflict with the authorities.

Seek Relief From Railways.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—The establishment of through routes, and joint river points and from Denver and Pueblo, covering the shipment of all commodities and classes of freight moving to points on the Nevada Northern railroad from Chicago, and eastern points through Chicago, is asked in a petition filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission today. The petitioner is the Giroux Consolidated Mines company, of Duluth, Minn., and Kimberley, Nev., and is against the Nevada Northern, Southern Pacific, Pennsylvania and fifteen other railroads whose commodity rates and class rates are attacked as unreasonable.

SCHOOLS NEED LARGER GRANTS

Commissioners of National Education in Ireland Find Fault With Small Sums Given by Treasury

LONDON, Nov. 2.—The commissioners of national education in Ireland in their annual report strongly condemn the inadequacy of the grants made by the treasury for the building and improvement of schoolhouses. "Since the end of November, 1909," they state, "we have made no building grants, except in the case of four new schools and some minor works of improvement, etc., and it is impossible to say how much longer this serious crisis will continue." To show the urgency of their needs the commissioners say: "In many of the cases where new buildings are still required, the existing buildings are mere hovels, some have rotten doors and thatched or broken roofs unceiling within, and others are



ADD INSULT TO INJURY

Prisoners Sentenced for Breaking Gaol Make Dash for Liberty — Are Returned to Duress

MEET AT BALTIMORE

Aviators Begin New Series of Contests at Maryland City—High Flights Made

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 2.—Baltimore's aviation meet was officially opened today, before a large throng of spectators. When the bomb-announcing the opening of the contest was fired everyone was absorbed in watching Chas. F. Willard, the American, and James Radley, of England, circling about overhead.

Cardinal Gibbons was a spectator. Drexel, in a try for altitude, made 3,000 feet, and Willard, in a similar attempt, took his Curtiss bi-plane to a height of 3,500 feet, remaining in the air 20 minutes. Drexel, in his Blériot, regarded the altitude honors of the day with a record of 4,300 feet. All the aeroplanes regularly entered for the meet are now here and tomorrow the regular programme will begin.

CHARGE OF MURDER

Death of Vancouver Woman Alleged to Have Resulted From Illegal Operation

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2.—Charged with the murder of Mrs. J. P. Mott Woodworth of this city, the local police today arrested Richard Berryman. They also arrested Mrs. Mattson on a charge of being an accessory before the fact. Mrs. Woodworth, who died after a long illness, was stated to have been supplied with medicine which may or may not have had something to do with the death of Mrs. Woodworth. Her death was due to an operation alleged to have been illegally performed yesterday by Berryman, called to attend the case. It is stated, without the knowledge of the husband. A regular physician was called when it was seen that the woman was dying, arriving after the woman's death. Meanwhile Berryman had left the Woodworth home, but was soon discovered by the police. Berryman came to Vancouver from Butte, Montana, two years ago. Little is known of him here. The woman had made sworn statements of their knowledge of the affair.

Nicaraguan Notes.

MANAGUA, Nov. 2.—Provisional President Estrada has sent a telegraphic message to Senor Arce, the

badly lighted and ventilated, possessing insufficient floor and cubic space for the numbers of attendance, and destitute of any sanitary arrangements. We have referred at length in former reports to the impotence of doing really satisfactory work under such unfavorable conditions.

Nor does this exhaust the commissioners' charges against the government. They continue: "We have once more to make serious complaint of the activities of his department in discarding at length on the ruralization of elementary education in country districts of England and the spread of agricultural instruction through evening schools and school gardens connected with primary schools, and to disavow the beneficial effects of state-instituted medical inspection of school children and increased facilities for physical exercises and training in domestic economy. In Ireland we are, we trust, fully alive to the importance and advantages of such modern developments of educational effort, but our demands for the necessary financial assistance for proposals of a similar and more obvious kind have hitherto been met with curt refusal."

A long catalogue of recommendations which have been made for meeting the educational needs of the country follows. In every case these were met with refusal. The worst instances refer to the case of teachers' salaries, which are admittedly inadequate.

Six Months in Prison
MONTREAL, Nov. 2.—Dion and Keefe, owner and chauffeur of the automobile which ran down and killed Miss Beattie Smith at Victoria bridge last fall, were this morning sentenced to serve six months in prison.

Sheldon Arrested
MONTREAL, Nov. 2.—It is reported here that Charles D. Sheldon, broker, who it is alleged picked up half a million dollars from a lot of quick gamblers in this neighborhood, has been arrested by Pinkerton detectives in Bermuda and that he is being brought back to this city. Sleuths have been on his trail since he decamped from Montreal last week and it was upon their identification that he was apprehended. The report of the arrest has not been confirmed.

Killed by Boiler Explosion
BILLINGS, Mont., Nov. 2.—While running at the rate of 30 miles an hour and shortly after passing New London station east of this city last night, the engine of a Northern Pacific freight train exploded, killing fireman Owen Jones, fatally injuring engineer

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Mr. P. C. Larkin Writes to City Hall Asking that Pavements be Properly Flushed

That unflushed streets are partially responsible for the prevalence of typhoid in Toronto is the theory advanced by Mr. P. C. Larkin, who urges that the street flushing should not be discontinued until the water freezes. He says the dust is unbearable.

Street Commissioner Harris told the controllers to-day that it was impracticable to flush the ASPHALT pavements at this time of year, because the water did not evaporate owing to the low temperature, and therefore a grease was formed which made vehicular traffic very dangerous.

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HOME FOR EX-ARMY MEN

Col. Wadmore, D. O. C., Favors Scheme to Provide Employment for Ex-Soldiers

During his official visit last week to the Kootenay, Col. Wadmore, D. O. C., gave an interesting talk to the Nelson Daily News, on British Columbia as a home for ex-army men. He said: "I am very interested in the new scheme for providing employment in Canada for ex-soldiers and ex-sailors which has been initiated under the patronage of the Duke of Cornwall and Devon. The essentials of the scheme are that bureaus of information for ex-army and navy men requiring work are established in all the large cities of the Dominion. To these the men may apply and be

placed in communication with persons desiring to employ men who have been in one or other of the two services. Soldiers and sailors, leaving England are given the addresses of these bureaus. I think the idea is a splendid one and that the scheme should be of the greatest advantage to employers of labor and to the ex-soldiers and sailors. Such men, by virtue of their training, their discipline and experience in many countries are particularly fit for work in Canada. Already bureaus of information have been established in the east and in Vancouver and Victoria. They are entitled the British Employment Association for ex-Soldiers and Sailors."

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VIEW STREET

Very great satisfaction was expressed yesterday when the proposed action of the city council in respect to the extension of View street to Government street became known. The universal opinion of the citizens appears to be that this work is imperatively necessary.

As a matter of public convenience it would be of great value. Trounce Alley is exceedingly useful for pedestrians, but it is not available for vehicular traffic. If Broad street were a straight thoroughfare, the argument for the extension of View would not be quite as strong as it now is from the standpoint of public convenience, but to get from Broad to Government it is necessary on the south to turn into Fort which has a car-track on it and will always be the scene of congested traffic. On the north the first turning towards Government is into Yates with its double car-track and the certainty that traffic will be even more congested there in the future than it is now, and it is bad enough now. The second turning to the north at Johnston street is too far away to be convenient.

There is no likelihood that a car line will ever be put on View street. There is one on Fort and one on Yates, and the latter may be extended—we think in all probability it will be extended before long—to a junction with the Fort street line. View being within half a minute's walk of either of these lines there is not the slightest probability that any company will ever seek to put a car line on it. Therefore, the street is wide enough as it is, and the only necessary expense of the extension would be for the land to be acquired between Broad and Government, exclusive, of course, of the cost of making the street itself.

The frontage on the extension would be very valuable. Spencer's would have from street to street and Young's would have half the northern side. We would undoubtedly see erected next year great blocks on both these properties and that on the north side would adjoin the block to be erected by the Union Bank. That the remainder of the frontage on the extension would be built upon forthwith by the erection of a spacious modern structure may be taken for granted.

The effect of the above changes upon the future of View street as it at present is would be hard to estimate, but certainly every foot of property on the street would appreciate quickly in value. Instead of being as it is now a sort of stephan among greets, View would forge to the front rapidly. It would have on each side of it between Government and Broad fine retail establishments; between Broad and the improved and enlarged Vernon block as well as the McGregor block and the structure which is to replace the Victoria theatre. Crossing Douglas we would have on one side the Balmoral and on the other the Sayward block, and then the fine structure of the Roman Catholic church. Next would come the Y. M. C. A. building. The remainder of the street is now bordered by properties available for improvement, because the buildings now upon them are inexpensive. In a very few years View would be a modern thoroughfare in every particular.

The cost of the extension under the local improvement plan would extend over ten years, and it would not be felt by those contributing to it. We suppose the charge upon several properties would be on a sliding scale, those furthest from the extension paying the least.

We hope that nothing will interfere to prevent the immediate consummation of this highly important improvement, which would probably be of greater immediate advantage to Victoria than anything now under consideration by the municipal authorities.

PROPOSED NEW BRIDGE

The prospective removal of the Indians from the Songhees Reservation has very naturally revived the project for a highway bridge across the harbor at the foot of Johnson street. We have heard a suggestion that the bridge should extend from Yates street, but examination of the site seems to demonstrate that the other locality is better

crossed the harbor in line with Yates would be much longer than one from the foot of Johnson and would lessen the value of the waterfront on both sides of the harbor. We do not see any advantage in such a site that would outweigh these considerations. Therefore we think that the bridge ought to be an extension of Johnson. The western terminus of such a bridge, if continued in the same straight line as the street, would be at the point where the railway bridge terminates.

We have not made inquiries of the Mayor as to the plan he has in mind, because we desire what is said to be regarded simply as an independent suggestion, which the committee, to whom the matter has been referred, can consider or not as they see fit; but we submit that one bridge might serve the purposes of the railways and the general public. It seems desirable to provide means whereby the railways can have access to the eastern part of the city; although we assume that, on the opening of the Songhees Reservation and the construction of the contemplated bridge, the Esquimalt & Nanaimo and the Canadian Northern would have their passenger and principal freight depots on the western side of the harbor. This would reduce the railway traffic across the bridge, which might be made of sufficient width to permit of its use by trains without interrupting public traffic.

We assume that in the event of more money being received from the sale of the Reservation than its cost to the provincial government added to the cost of the new Reservation and the removal of the Indians would amount to some portion of the surplus might be appropriated towards the cost of the bridge. At first sight it might appear as if the whole of any surplus ought to be expended in the city, but the adoption of such a rule would be unwise. The principle that all the proceeds of the sales of provincial lands should be spent in the localities where the lands lie would be very unjust to the rest of the province.

ABOUT PLAYS.

Why do people go to the theatre? In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred they go to be entertained, and in the majority of cases entertainment means amusement. Of course, there are instances where the fame, deserved or otherwise, of an actor, who is usually a woman, draws an audience, which knows in advance that it will go home with an unpleasant taste in its mouth. It may be Art, with a capital letter if you please, which a woman like Mrs. Leslie Carter, for example, exhibits with more or less of her person. Oscar Wilde in one of his essays said that the essence of Art was its untruth. We go to see such creatures as Zaza and Salome principally because we have been told that they are something out of the ordinary, which thank goodness they are, but wholesome people with wholesome souls do not like such productions. Of course, we are speaking of people in our part of the world, where we are near enough to nature to be a little natural, and who despise the morbid in drama just as they despise the pessimist in business. A few days ago we had that absurd production called "The Blue Mouse" here. It was so described in the advance notices as to convey the impression that it was just a little bit off color, wherein the press agent made a blunder, for he kept people away. "The Blue Mouse" was not objectionable, and the reason was that it depicted something that was impossible. People enjoyed it because it was palpably an absurdity and was meant to be an absurdity. Mr. Hackett presented two plays. They also depicted the impossible, but everyone who saw them enjoyed them. In a drama the audience does not care how utterly impossible the whole thing may be, so long as it is consistent with itself, and the more it is unlike actual life the better, provided it has good stage settings. There is nothing particularly entertaining or amusing in the people one meets every day, and the play that simply takes ordinary people and strips bare their souls so as to show their meanness. They are people in nearly every community of any size at all whose lives, if the truth were told about them, would not be unlike those of the imaginary creatures of social problem plays, but the most respectable persons do not speak to them in the street and none of them invite them to their houses. There is another style of drama about which a few words may be said. It is that which portrays the greater passions of the human soul; but it is remembered that a great passion is not necessarily one that does violence to any one of the Ten Commandments. Unhappily many women on the stage think that dramatic greatness consists in hovering on the ragged edge of the immoral, if not in actually crossing the boundary line. It is a gross prostitution of Art to employ it in such productions. The greater passions of courage, loyalty,

patriotism, ambition and so on ought to furnish scope to the talents of the greatest actors and the greatest dramatists. A vast realm of human sentiment remains to be exploited on the stage. We have had enough of the prurient, at least in this part of the world. Its popularity in the greater centres of population is an indication of national decay.

We shall have to call it David Spencer. Unlimited, when it comes to enterprise, courage and energy.

King Chulalongkorn, of Siam, is dead. His successor is Choma Mahavajiralongkorn. It is to be hoped he will not choose to be called by his last name, for it looks too much like a "pi-line" on a tinotype. The new king is thirty years old. He was educated at Eton and Oxford.

Through an inadvertent error no notice appeared in the Colonist of Sunday to the effect that on account of Monday being Thanksgiving Day no paper would be issued Tuesday morning. Subscribers who expected a paper on that date and were disappointed should not blame the delivery or circulation department for an omission.

Certain commissioners from the United States have been investigating the British system of jurisprudence and especially that which relates to the administration of the criminal law. This was before the Crippen case, and the speedy manner in which that was disposed of has proved such an eye-opener to our neighbors that there seems to be a chance of their awakening to the necessity of doing something to expedite the processes of their courts.

In an editorial reference to the arrival of H. M. A. S. Niobe at Halifax, the Toronto Globe says: "It was a fine compliment to Canada to send in command of the Niobe so typical a Canadian as Captain Macdonald, and to give him a picked crew that is equal to any other in the whole British navy. Captain Macdonald has made public the fact that when he asked for volunteers, ten thousand offered themselves, so that he had plenty of room for selection, and that the British Admiralty promptly and cordially transferred to his vessel all the men he asked for." This is certainly very pleasant reading, especially in this, the gallant officer's birthplace.

It will be remembered, perhaps, that at the time of King Edward's death, when the statement was freely made that his life had been sacrificed because of the worry resulting from the proposal to abolish the veto power of the House of Lords, the Colonist said that it declined to accept any such suggestion for it believed the King was made of sterner stuff than such a suggestion implied. Very recently Lord Essher, one of the late King's closest friends, has published a monograph upon his character, and he counts the idea that political troubles contributed in the slightest degree to the event that we all so much deplored. He says that King Edward was splendidly endowed with that high physical and moral courage which have ever been conspicuous in the Royal House.

It is a little of a surprise to find the Toronto Globe out in strong advocacy of the pari-mutuel system of betting on horse races, which it thus describes: "Any person attending a race-course can bet \$2, \$5, or \$10 on a horse by taking a ticket from the pari-mutuel official, the jockey club retaining five per cent of all money entrusted to it to meet their expenses. The amount of money wagered is divided among the persons who have backed the winning horse and those who played. The system entirely does away with the bookmaker and with the publication of odds, the two worst features of race-track betting." Our contemporary's argument in favor of permitting this system is that it is a good substitute for book-making, and as gambling cannot be stopped altogether, it is well to do the next best thing. Under the pari-mutuel system the whole matter of betting is reduced to the backing by an individual of his own judgment. He is not encouraged to bet by having odds offered him, which is the great attraction of the book-making system. The Globe thinks that if the leading race-track organizations adopt this system, Parliament should force the all-round adoption of the same method of betting.

Accident to Dr. Hodgetts.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 2.—While descending the stairs, Dr. Charles A. Hodgetts, medical adviser to the commission on conservation, lost his footing and fell, fracturing two ribs.

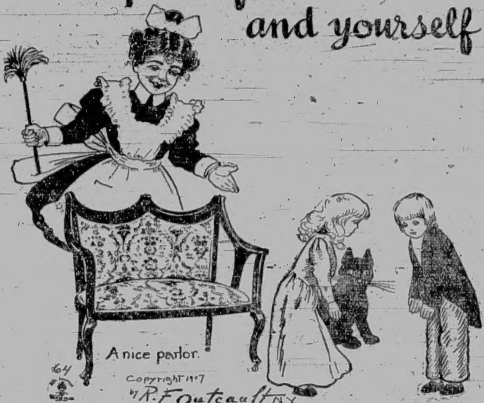
Insurance in Winnipeg Fire.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 2.—Insurance on the Macdonald Grocery Company's warehouse and contents which burned yesterday, totals \$223,600. Of this the largest part is on stock. It is estimated that the loss is \$200,000, with

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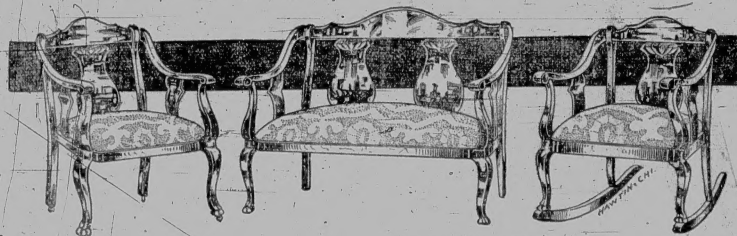
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- Odd Settees—Mahogany finish, upholstered in silk, \$15.00 and \$22.00
- Arm Chairs—Mahogany finish, upholstered in fancy silk. Price \$11.00
- Chair—Mahogany finish, in green denim \$12.00
- Arm Chair—Upholstered in green denim \$16.00

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. W. S. Barton is visiting with
friends in Ladysmith.

Mr. Fred Foster is renewing pleas-
ant acquaintances in Ashcroft.

Mrs. H. E. Morton spent the Thank-
sgiving holiday with Mainland friends.

Mr. G. M. Bryson has returned from
a business visit to Ladysmith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leask have re-
turned from Rossland.

Miss Bell is a guest of Vancouver
friends.

Mr. Charles Lang, from Salt Spring
Island, is in town on a short visit.

Mr. Harry Wright, M.P.P., and Mrs.
Wright, return to Nelson tomorrow.

Secretary Craddock of the depart-
ment of agriculture has returned from
a visit to Vancouver.

Mrs. G. G. Fraser will receive on
Friday afternoon the 4th inst. at her
home, 621 Simcoe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fyfe Smith of Vancou-
ver spent the holiday at the Oak Bay
hotel.

Miss Gaudin, who spent a few days
in Vancouver recently has returned to
Victoria.

Miss Lena Duhlie and Miss Mar-
garet Daniell from Aberdeen, Scot.

land, are recent arrivals in town and
are staying at the Driford.

Mr. C. E. Bulke, from New West-
minster, is spending a few days in
Victoria.

Mr. S. Lauderbach and Mr. Walter
Carter, of Ladysmith, have been re-
cent visitors in the Capital.

Mr. Harry E. Morton returned re-
sident from a business visit to the
Mainland.

Dr. and Mrs. O. M. Jones are expect-
ed home in a few days from their trip
to England.

Mr. J. F. Lins, proprietor and man-
ager of the Empress Hotel of Stew-
art, is spending a week in the city.

Mr. R. P. McLennan, a wholesale
merchant of Vancouver, is a guest at
the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Janlon, of Vancou-
ver, spent the week and Thanksgiving
Day in Victoria, the guests of
friends.

The Rev. Frank Pratt and Mrs.
Pratt of Vancouver are on a visit to
Victoria, and will spend several days
here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Aitken, of Na-
namo, passed through Victoria yester-
day, on their way to California for
an extended holiday.

Mr. E. M. Whyte, of Alberni, who
has been spending a Thanksgiving
holiday with his friends here, has left
for home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Heal and family are
down from Aldermere on a brief visit,
proceeding next to California, where
they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fyfe-Smith, of Vancou-
ver, who have been holidaying at the
Oak Bay Hotel, have returned to their
Mainland home.

Mr. C. H. Dickie, of Duncan, presi-
dent of the Portland Canal Mining
Company, is registered at the Empress
Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wollett,
from Mayne Island, are spending a
few days in town and are staying at
the Balmoral.

Mr. and Mrs. Washington, who have
been spending a few days in Victoria,
left yesterday on their return to their
home in Tacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bushby, who
have been spending their honeymoon
in Victoria, left yesterday for Seattle,
where they will reside.

Mrs. A. Dundas from Shawinigan is
spending a few days in town and is
the guest of Miss Bowron at the Ver-
non.

Mrs. Roland Squire, from Montreal,
who has recently arrived in Victoria,
has taken a residence at Esquimalt
where she will in future reside.

Dr. and Mrs. Watt from William
Head are shortly going to take up
their residence at Esquimalt where
they will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins, who
have been in town renewing old
friendships, left at Tuesday on their
return to their home in Montreal.

Mrs. Guy Phillips of Revelstoke and
Miss Maud Phillips are paying a visit
to relatives in town before leaving on
a six months' visit to New York.

Mrs. John Francis, who has been
visiting relatives in Seattle for the past
month returned to town yesterday af-
ter a most enjoyable visit.

Miss Queenie Abrams of Vancouver
returned home Monday after spending
a few days with her friends, Mrs. F.
Zielmeister of Michigan street.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner and family are
staying at the Empress for a fortnight
before going east on a three-months'
trip.

Mr. A. J. Brubaker of this city, who
has been absent from here for some
time visiting his former home in Ohio,
has returned to the city and states that
the people of Ohio are extremely in-
terested in the West. Mr. Brubaker is



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THE CHAIR WILL BE TAKEN AT 8 P.M.

Business: Election of 40 delegates to the Provincial Con-
servative Convention to be held at Nelson, Nov. 17th.

Addresses will be delivered by several prominent gentlemen.

LEONARD TAIT, President,
WM. HY. PRICE, Hon. Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING

connected with the Tracksell, Anderson
Co. in Broad street.

C. K. Chungkuan and Peter Metro,
who have been spending a vacation at
Harrison Hot Springs, have returned
to the city.

Frederick K. Link, manager of the
Empress Hotel at Stewart, arrived in
Victoria yesterday. He will be en-
tertained at the German Club on Sat-
urday night, when he makes his last
public appearance as a bachelor.

The Messes Dunsinuir have recently
been visiting in Vancouver as the
guests of their sister, Mrs. John Itope.
Miss M. Dunsinuir expects to go
abroad shortly.

Mr. J. Ballantyne and daughter from
Christchurch, New Zealand, have been
visiting their cousin, Mr. G. Jennings
of this city, for a few days, on
their return from Paris and London.

Mr. W. E. Scott, deputy minister of
agriculture, is today attending at Van-
couver a special meeting of the Horti-
cultural board and also the meeting
of the American Pomological Society.

Mrs. W. H. Wood entertained at a
young people's party on Tuesday eve-
ning at her residence, Cook street, in
honor of Dr. Sidney H. Peck and Dr.
Geo. Wilson of the staff of the Van-
couver General hospital, members
of the class of 1910, McGill university
and college friends of her son. The red
and white of McGill was much in evi-
dence, and many of the alumni matters of
Canada and the old world were repre-
sented amongst the guests.

Madame Hughes-Thomas, who ar-
rives here on Friday, is one of the
most prominent women of Wales, and
a most thorough musician. She has
taken active part in many national
events, both of a political and musical
nature. With her choir she has toured
Great Britain, France and the United
States and Canada, and has received
flattering notices from French and
English papers everywhere, some of
which are too extensive to be included
here. The political interests of her
husband, Alderman Edward Thomas,
a former mayor of Cardiff, the most
important city of Wales, have been
greatly advanced by her splendid per-
sonality. Mrs. Thomas is the daugh-
ter of the Rev. Richard Hughes, one
of the most noted and eminent preach-
ers of the Welsh pulpit.

British Campaigners' Association

On account of the reception to H.M.
C.S. Rainbow occurring on the same
date as that fixed for the annual dinner
it has been decided to postpone the
dinner to the following Wednesday.
Nov. 16. Tickets and invitations dated
November 3rd will therefore hold good
for the 16th, at the same time and
place.

Saved From the Flames

An interesting collection of photo-
graphs which, by rare good luck, escaped
destruction in Victoria's great
fire is composed of an historical series
of portraits of the law officers of
the crown since confederation; these
photographs of British Columbia's
successive attorney generals being de-
signed to find a place in the adorne-
ment of the attorney general's depart-
ment, where they will shortly be hung.

New Drill Hall Site

Negotiations for the purchase of the
site of Victoria's new hall and arm-
ory have been virtually completed by
the passing of the title of the acquired
property and the issuance of the pro-
vincial government's cheque therefor.
The new site, as has already been an-
nounced, is in the corner of Bay and
Melbourn streets.

Equipment Up-to-Date

The Government of British Columbia
believes in being up-to-date; that it
is so, in the best and fullest sense, the
great majority of the population of the
province are agreed. Just now the up-
to-date is being illustrated in the
substitution in each of the depart-
ments "over the Bay" of official clocks,
electrically connected, regulated and
standardized, the wiring for this latest
addition to the equipment of the build-

ings being now about complete. There
have recently been supplied to the au-
thors of the buildings, a compact and
very effective attachment for the pails,
which instantaneously and simply
wings out the water from the official
mops. And even these are soon to be
superceded, an electrical scrubbing
machine that is believed to be the last
word in floor cleaning apparatus, be-
ing now on the way. It will work har-
moniously in association with the elec-
trical vacuum cleaners—which are for
carpeted floors only.

Does Not Concern Government

Among the accumulated minor busi-
ness which awaits consideration by
Hon. Mr. Taylor, Provincial Minister
of Public Works, who returned to the
Capital yesterday, is an appeal from
Victoria City for permission to con-
struct a certain open ditch which has
been designed to drain, through Skin-
ner's Bottom and into the Arm at a
point near the picturesque Gorge, a
considerable area of low lying land of
Victoria West. The drain or ditch
would necessarily pass through lands
of the unorganized district of Esqui-
malt, and the owners of these lands
object. Ald. Ross, Surgeon and Bar-
nauan have been appointed a dele-
gation to interview the Minister and urge
the council's contention that the city
possesses the right to drain along the
natural watercourse. It is extremely
doubtful, however, if their representa-
tions will prevail. Hon. Mr. Taylor re-
garding the matter as between the city
and the property owners, and not in
any way one of governmental control
or concern.

Report Near Completion

During the past week the members
of the special commission on forestry
and conservation—consisting of Mr.
Fred J. Patterson, K. C. chairman, Mr.
A. C. Flumerfelt and Mr. A. S. Good-
eve, M. P.—have been busily engaged
with the completion of their exhaus-
tive and very informative report,
which it is expected will be laid before
the government at the end of the pre-
sent week or early next week. The
report goes into all matters touching
forest protection and utilization most
comprehensively, and it is expected
will form the basis of highly benefi-
cial legislation to be submitted to the
house by the government during the
course of the January session. The
work of the commission on the revision
and consolidation of the statutes,
enacted by the late Mr. James Wilson
and Mr. Lusk, K. C.'s is also well
advanced toward completion, and a
considerable portion of the revised
statutes is now in the hands of the
king's printer, whose staff is busily
at work thereupon. The consolidation
it is expected will fill three imposing
volumes, of approximately 1,500
pages each, which will be ready for
presentation to the legislature at its
assembling.

Kermode Bear for British Museum.

Instructions have been given for the
immediate mounting of a representa-
tive specimen of ursus Kermodei, the
creamy white bear peculiar to British
Columbia, which has been named for
the curator of the provincial museum
and which has its habitat in the
Skeena river mountains only so far as
has as yet been ascertained, this spec-
imen being intended for the British
museum. The London museum au-
thorities have been much interested
in the wild game of this province
through the display made at the re-
cent Sportsmen's show at Vienna, al-
ready bearing good fruit in the unusu-
ally large representation of European
huntmen now visiting the wilds of
British Columbia in search of goats,
sheep and grizzlies. One of the most
notable of these parties is that headed
by H. R. H. the Landgrave of Hesse,
which has been having good sport in
the upper Columbia. Incidentally His
Royal Highness, the Landgrave, has
become much interested in British
Columbia's inducements to the in-
ventor, and has acquired considerable
land in the valley, which he will de-
velop in the near future. This indi-
vidual investment will, indeed, as a
straight business proposition, more
than repay the province for its in-
vestment in the exhibit and represen-
tation by Mr. Warburton, M. P., as
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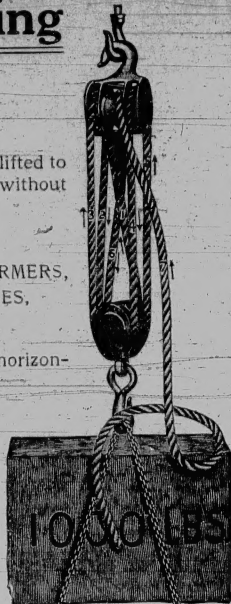
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Rally Day
November 30 has been chosen as Rally Day by the Shakespeare Adult Bible class and a social will be held at the Soldiers and Sailors Home at 8 p. m. on that date. Lots of fun and a buffet supper have been arranged by an able committee.

Clearing Asylum Farm
The provincial asylum farm at Coquitlam is being rapidly cleared and graded, about 300 acres now being laid out. The manager's residence is approaching completion, and the farm buildings have the electric light installed.

Customs Returns.
During the month of October the total receipts at the custom house were \$163,486.43, as compared with \$146,337.33 for the same month last year. During the past month the duty collected amounted to \$102,733.43, as compared with \$102,733.43 during the same month last year, and \$42,364 was collected from Chinese.

Victoria Musical Society
Subscribers for season tickets are requested to remit their subscriptions to Mr. C. Denham, box office, Victoria theatre, without delay. The first concert is on the 11th inst. and season tickets are now being mailed. On the 11th Mrs. Liza Lehmann will, with the assistance of an English quartette, render her own composition "Persian Garden," "Nonsense Songs," etc.

New Publicity League.
For the purpose of being present at a meeting on Salt Spring Island called with the object of forming a branch of the Vancouver Island Development League among the islands in the Straits of Georgia Secretary Ernest McCaffrey will leave for Salt Spring during the present month. While at the meeting he will deliver an address on the object of publicity and methods of organization.

May Traverse Lillooet District
It is now regarded as almost certain that the proposed G. T. P. branch from Port George to Vancouver will traverse the Lillooet district and strike the C. P. R. near Agassiz, by way of the Harrison and Lillooet rivers. Its objective is Lillooet. It is claimed that a river route with very low grades can be secured all the way from Lillooet to the Fraser to Agassiz, whence the new line will parallel the C. P. R. to Vancouver.

Apple Show Advertising.
The Vancouver Island Development League is not letting slip by the opportunity to advertise the resources of the Island at Vancouver's National Apple Show. On Thursday afternoon Mr. Ernest McCaffrey, secretary of the league left for Vancouver with a large quantity of literature which he will have distributed from the portion of the building in which the Vancouver Island exhibits are housed. He more over tends collecting information respecting the island exhibits which are of an unusually interesting character, which he will use in a future booklet on the island. Secretary McCaffrey returns to the city tomorrow night.

Agricultural Statistics Branch
The development of the exceedingly useful statistical branch of the department of agriculture is now taking definite and practical form, under the direction of the secretary of the department, Mr. Craddock, whose past experience in similar work in a sister province peculiarly fitted him for the obtaining of results. As a beginning, letters have recently been addressed to all government agents asking for lists of the foremost farmers in each district of the province, whom it is hoped to organize into a corps of correspondents, reports from which, systematized and printed will form a very important feature of the good work of the department in the future.

Aviator Postpones Trials
Owing to the fact of inclement weather and that suitable aviation grounds cannot be found in this city, Mr. W. W. Gibson, Victoria's only bird-man, has decided to next spring leave this city with his aeroplane for the prairies to make further attempts in the vicinity of Calgary. Mr. Gibson's last attempt failed owing to the machine becoming uncontrollable and running into a stump. For these reasons Mr. Gibson believes that he can make better successes on a clear prairie country than hereabouts. Several improvements are being made and should be perfected within a month, when the aviator will leave for the south to visit Mexico for a month or more. Returning in the spring he will ship his machine east.

Interesting Nelson Action.
An interesting legal action has been instituted at Nelson by H. C. Hall, representing the Standard Portland Cement Co. and other owners of the Hume hotel, against George P. and Wilmer C. Wells, whereby it is sought to set aside certain assignments made by G. P. Wells to W. C. Wells, on the ground that they were made with intent to defraud the creditors of the hotel of G. P. Wells. The assignments named in the summons are: A mortgage on the Hume hotel building and lots, dated July 1, 1908; a chattel mortgage purporting to secure \$12,000 covering the contents of the hotel; and an assignment of the hotel on March 20, 1909, to an absolute bill of sale, purporting to be in consideration of \$12,000 to cover all contents of the hotel at September 12 last; an assignment of the same date covering, inter alia, the book debts of the hotel; and an assignment, by way of pledge, of certain shares in the Nugget gold mine. The plaintiffs seek an injunction to prevent a disposal being made of any of the properties concerned.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C. at 8 p. m., November 2, 1910.

SYNOPSIS.
Since yesterday an ocean low barometer area has crossed this province to the Rockies and heavy rains have occurred west of the Cascades. Another disturbance now centered off Vancouver Island is causing a southerly gale along the Washington coast. Zero temperatures have occurred in Manitoba, but milder weather is spreading eastward from Alberta.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	46	52
Vancouver	46	55
New Westminster	48	55
Kamloops	22	56
Barkerville	30	38
Prince Rupert	40	44
Calgary, Alta.	24	56
Winnipeg, Man.	18	28
Portland, Ore.	44	54
San Francisco, Cal.	54	58

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Thursday:
Victoria and Vicinity: Fresh to strong winds, mostly southerly and westerly, unsettled with occasional rains, not much change in temperature.
Lower Mainland: Winds mostly southerly and westerly on the Gulf, unsettled and mild with rain.

WEDNESDAY.

Highest	52
Lowest	46
Mean	49
Rain	4.3 inch; sunshine 4 hours, 30 minutes.

WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT.

Victoria meteorological office, 26th October to 31st November, 1910:
Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine 21 hours and 8 minutes; rain 7.4 inch; highest temperature 55 on 27th; lowest 36 on 29th.

Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshine 19 hours and 36 minutes; rain 1.12 inch; highest temperature 63 on 31st; lowest 32 on 28th.
New Westminster—Rain 1.10 inch; highest temperature 60 on 28th; lowest 32 on 27th.
Kamloops—Rain .24 inch; highest temperature 46 on 29th; lowest 24 on 27th.

Prince Rupert—Rain 2.44 inches; highest temperature 56 on 27th and 28th; lowest 32 on 26th and 31st; snow 1.8 inch.
Atlin—Rain .24 inch; highest temperature 40 on 29th; lowest 16 on 29th.
Dawson—Snow 2.3 inches; highest temperature 36 on 26th; lowest 12 on 26th.



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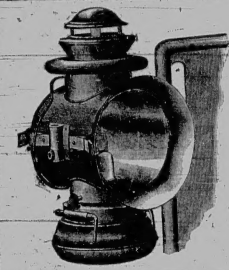
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Week's Clearings
 Local bank clearings for the week ending Tuesday aggregated \$1,875,299.

To Welcome Welsh Choir
 The Welsh Society will meet the Royal Welsh Ladies Choir at its arrival here from Seattle Friday at 2.30 o'clock. All Welsh citizens are requested to join in the reception to the visitors.

Will Hold Dance.
 A dance will be given by Canton Victoria, Patriarch's Militant Lodge No. 2 on Monday evening next in the Oddfellows' Hall, Douglas street. Good music will be supplied and refreshments will be served.

Plan New Blocks.
 Plans for a bigger and better Bow-nass block to replace the burned structure on Broad street are now being prepared by Mr. Crawford Coates, architect, who is now working on the plans of the new structure.

Will Erect Dwelling.
 Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to James Henry for a dwelling to be erected on Victor street to cost \$2,500 and to Williams & Company, carpenters, for a shop on Cormorant street, to cost \$400.

Will Be Permanent Quarters.
 The Victoria Book and Stationery Co. has opened permanently at the corner of Broad and Johnson streets, where they are now doing business and the stock is being added to daily. The safe which was saved from the ruins last Sunday has been opened and the books were found in almost perfect shape.

New School Manual.
 The new school manual just issued by the provincial department of education is this year but a reprint of the old manual, with the necessary addition of chapters dealing with the application of legislation of last session—as to night schools, school libraries, the provincial normal school, teachers' examinations, etc. The manual has already been distributed to the interested teachers and trustees.

Appointments Decided Upon
 At a short meeting of the provincial executive council yesterday several minor appointments were decided upon, and three resignations received of commissions of the peace. The appointments were decided in connection with the rapid development of the northern areas of the province, notably the Queen Charlotte, Messrs. A. Fraser of Bonaparte and J. Martin of Masset were appointed to exercise his Majesty's commission as Justices of the Peace, and Messrs. J. Conway and E. M. Sandilands as coroners, while Mr. E. Weddie of Kelowna was made a member of the license commission for that city. The resignations of Justice Bogan, George Ham and E. Johnson were received and accepted. During the absence of Premier McBride, who is expected back from the north on Saturday, Hon. Dr. Young is acting premier.

Timber Returns.
 Returns to the timber department of the provincial government show a total of receipts during October of \$122,262.31, this revenue being attributable to the following: 1,474—343 timber licenses issued for land west of the Cascade, 1,466.11, 28 licenses for lands east of the Cascade, \$41,995.09, 294 coal prospectors' licenses, \$1,466.11.

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To Reform School.
 A boy convicted of stealing money from the stewards' quarters on the C. P. R. boats was sent to the Industrial school for three years. He recently completed a term at the school.

Secures Second Crop.
 A fine second growth of raspberries fully formed, sweet and luscious, is what Mr. W. J. Scott, Wainitoba village, is exhibiting at the present time. If the frost holds off for ten days he will have an abundant crop.

Reception to Welsh Choir.
 Members of the Alexandra Club, of the ladies' musical society and of the ladies' Canadian club are requested to accept this intimation with regard to the reception to be tendered the members of the Royal Welsh ladies' choir at the Alexandra club rooms tomorrow from 2.30 to 6.30 p.m.

For Broaching Cargo.
 Charged with broaching cargo two longshoremen, William Steedman and Malcolm Wilson, were brought before Police Magistrate Jay in the police court yesterday morning. They were charged with breaking open a case of whiskey on board the Blue Funnel liner Titan at the Outer Wharf. Third Officer Hughey gave evidence of seeing them take a bottle of whiskey from the case. The couple were remanded until today. They pleaded not guilty.

Charged With Assault.
 W. J. Leader and wife were both fined \$5 on being convicted of assault. The charge arose out of a neighbor's quarrel. The prosecutor, Mrs. Hepburn, alleged that Mrs. Leader had struck her five times on the face, and that the husband, who had gone to a complaint of Mrs. Hepburn turning at the husband's wife, had entered her hall and knocked things about. The start of the trouble was a dispute over a dividing fence.

Grand Forks Public Buildings.
 Instructions have been given to Mr. Laurence, the provincial architect, to complete as quickly as possible the revised plans for the Grand Forks government buildings, to meet the suggestions given Hon. Mr. Taylor when he visited Grand Forks ten days ago, and it is expected that this more so, and a revision will be completed so that new tenders may be invited in the course of ten days or a fortnight at latest. The work will be pushed so soon as the contract is awarded, and the buildings will be advanced even before the close of the present year.

Dairymen at Chilliwack.
 A public meeting of dairymen is to be held under the auspices of the British Columbia Dairymen's Association at Chilliwack tomorrow. Dr. C. S. McKee, bacteriologist of the Vancouver milk commission, will speak on cleanliness in milk supply. Dr. A. Knight, chief veterinary inspector for the province, will discuss on sanitation of stock and P. H. Moore, provincial dairy inspector, will discuss the advantages of individual cow testing. Dr. McKee is also to address a meeting of district dairymen at Salmon Arm on the evening of the 10th instant.

Small Fire in Mine.
 Wild rumors that the mines of the Western Fuel Co. at Nanaimo were on fire prevailed in the Coal City and at Ladysmith Tuesday. So far as can be ascertained they were only so far justified that trouble had been discovered in a small and comparatively isolated section of the workings at the south side of the mine. To the north of the rock tunnel down the diagonal slope. Some days ago fumes began to make their appearance in this section indicating an undue and unhealthy heat somewhere and in order to be altogether on the safe side, the entire working force was sent home, pending investigation and the ridding of the mine of all danger.

Talk of General Strike.
 Differences of opinion between the Crown West Pass Coal Co. and the miners employed by that corporation as to the interpretation of various features of the agreement prevailing between the company and its men are reported to have reached an acute stage so much so that a general strike has been talked of, and may yet eventuate. To consider the situation a special meeting of the District executive board was held recently at Pórcile, and it was decided in the miners' behalf to make application for an investigation board under the provisions of the Industrial Disputes Act. The men allege that in several recent instances the company's representatives have been endeavoring to put false interpretations upon significant features of the agreement.

Mr. Savannah's Studio.
 Mr. John Savannah, whose artistic photographic work of years was largely reduced to ashes in the great fire of last week, by which he was a heavy sufferer financially, has secured new studio rooms at 608 Yates street, immediately adjoining the Imperial bank building, and is now busily supervising the evolution of the premises into thoroughly modern reception parlors and photographic galleries. The construction of the building happily lends itself to the securing of effective lighting, and Mr. Savannah expects to have in the near future, with the specially fine lenses he has ordered and now has on their way to Victoria, one of the most ultra-modern studios in Western Canada. Artistic talent and experience are fortunately not deficient, and these Mr. Savannah has saved from the fire.

McClary's famous Steel Ranges and Heating Stoves at Clarke & Pearson's 1313 Wharf Street, near Johnson Street, Victoria.

WON'T ADVERTISE

City Declines Opportunity to Make Itself Known Through Columns of Noted Publication.

The city will not take advertising space in the forthcoming Canadian edition which the Illustrated London News will issue in February. Some time ago the question of the propriety of advertising Victoria's advantages to the world at large in the special number was considered by the city council and the matter was referred to the finance committee. This body is averse to the idea of spending the \$800 required for this purpose, the argument being that as the city has given \$5,000 to the Victoria Development League, it is the work of the latter organization to look after the advertising of the city.

Aldermen Sargison and Langley, at Tuesday night's meeting of the city council urged that the amount be contributed by the city to the ground that in a paper of such world wide reputation as the Illustrated London News the advertisement would be a fine one for the city; the more so that some other cities of the Dominion have refused to take space, thus accentuating the value of Victoria's advertisement should the city decide to advertise.

CALEDONIA SOCIETY

Officers for the Current Year Are Elected at Monthly Meeting

At the monthly meeting of the Caledonia Society last evening officers were elected for the current year. The ceremony of their installation was conducted by Past President E. B. Paul. The reports for the first year of the society showed it to be in a flourishing condition, its financial sound, the treasury showing a handsome surplus. The following are the officers: President, Dr. G. L. Milne; first vice-president, P. J. Riddle; second vice-president, William Gault; treasurer, A. M. Aikens; secretary, James Wattie; financial secretary, P. J. Riddle; marshal, J. G. Campbell; warden, George Duncan; pipe major, Edward Wishart; auditors, Messrs. Forsyth and Manuel. At the close of the business session the usual good time was enjoyed.

HOTELS WELL FILLED

Recent Disastrous Fire Results in Influx of Commercial Travelers

In spite of the fact that winter has set in the business done by the principal city hotels is being well sustained. For many nights past the hotels have been completely full, and the management is anxiously looking forward to the opening of the new wing to relieve the crowded conditions. Both the Dominion and the King Edward hotels have been largely patronized recently.

An unusually large number of commercial travelers are in the city at present and their arrival here in such numbers is due to the recent disastrous fire. Travelers from eastern Canada who at the time of the fire were on the coast were instructed to proceed at once to Victoria and fill orders for the firms whose stocks were destroyed. The result has been a large influx of commercial men, who are doing a big business. The travel here from Vancouver and Seattle has been unusually heavy for this time of the year, while the tourist traffic is still considerable. The recent conflagration, while having a temporary paralysing effect, will undoubtedly eventually prove of considerable advertising value to the city, especially in view of the fact that the various afflicted firms are showing such a rapid recovery from the disaster.

WILL BE SOCIAL EVENT

This Year's Police Ball to Be One of Successful Festivities of the Season.

The sale of tickets for the forthcoming police ball indicates that the function will be one of the most successful of the season. Last year's event proved the society event of the year, but this year's will be even more successful. Yesterday the decoration committee, under the direction of Sergeant Carlson, started on the work of decorating the women's building at the fair grounds in which the ball will be held on the 17th inst. One of the features of the ball a year ago was the fine decorations, and the committee in charge of this work promises that this year the effect will be even better.

Under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Paterson, Premier and Mrs. McBride, the mayor and police commissioners, the success of the ball is assured, and it is hoped that the citizen will respond to the fullest extent. Last year the police ball was the last official function at which the then Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. James Dunsmuir, attended. In fact his honor postponed the ceremony of swearing in of his successor in order that he might be present with his family at the function.

NO DEFINITE PLANS

City's Street Extension Scheme Keeps Young & Co. From Definite Decision as to Rebuilding.

Pending the outcome of the city council's efforts to have Yates street extended through to Government St., Messrs. Henry Young & Company, one of the heaviest losers in the recent conflagration, will take no steps to rebuild. The day following the fire the firm instructed Mr. Ridgway Wilson to prepare plans for a new building to be erected on the site of the ruined structure. But now that the street extension scheme has been approved by the city council which addition on Tuesday night to put through a by-law providing for the expropriation of the necessary land for that purpose.

Notice of Removal

Our many patrons and friends will kindly note that we have removed from the premises, 608 Yates Street, to our

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FRESH BEEF SAUSAGE—	25c
2 pounds for	
JELLIED TONGUE—	40c
Per pound	
HONEY IN THE COMB—	20c
Per section	
RE-CLEANED CURRANTS—	25c
3 pounds for	
NEW ENGLISH MIXED PEEL—	15c
Per pound	
NEW SULTANA RAISINS—	10c
Per pound	
SEEDED RAISINS—The Finest Packed—	55c
Large 16 oz. pkt. 10c., or 6 pkts. for	
SHELLED ALMONDS OR WALNUTS—	40c
Per pound	
FINEST GRANULATED SUGAR—	\$1.15
20-lb. sack	
CALGARY RISING SUN BREAD FLOUR—	\$1.75
Per sack	
INDEPENDENT CREAMERY BUTTER—	\$1.00
3 pounds for	

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pose the firm will do nothing in the way of rebuilding, for the time being at least.

Mr. E. B. Young stated yesterday that in view of the council's action his firm would take no steps in the matter of rebuilding for the time being. Asked if his firm had any other view in view, Mr. Young stated that so far no steps had been taken to secure new property.

Biliousness is due to a disordered condition of the stomach. Chamberlain's Tablets are essentially a stomach medicine, intended especially to act on that organ; to cleanse it, strengthen it, tone and invigorate it, to regulate the liver and to banish biliousness positively and effectually. For sale by all dealers.

The Victoria Book & Stationery Co. Ltd., begs to announce that it is now located at the corner of Broad and Johnson Streets (Phone No. 63 as before) and is prepared to give its usual attention to the requirements of its patrons. Goods are arriving daily. Our entire stock will be new, clean goods, and we expect in a very short time to be running along as smoothly as before the fire. We beg to thank all friends for past favors and also for the many kind expressions of sympathy for our severe loss.

Those who are owing accounts will do us a substantial service, which will be greatly appreciated at present, by settling them promptly. All accounts against the firm should be sent in at once.

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Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments

New goods arriving daily from London, Paris, Berlin and New York, and in a few days we will have the largest and best selected stock of Women's Ready-to-Wear Garments in B. C. —all the latest creations in Tailor-Made Suits, Cloaks, Robes, Waists, etc., absolutely up-to-the-minute in style and finish,

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"LADIES' WEAR STORE"

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Just Above Douglas Street

EVEN SCORE IN SCHOOL RUGBY

University and High School
Play to Draw of Three-All—
McCallum and Wild Do the
Scoring

Thirty husky ruggers representing the High School and University yesterday, battled for an hour to a tie game of three all, while Jupiter Pluvius never let up precipitating his bulky tears upon the Oak Bay park and when the players left the ground it looked as though each had but emerged from a strenuous hallowe'en party. The rain had made the field a series of pools and while the game in general did not result as each team had wished, the boys left the field with smiling faces, although most of them were wet to the skin.

The scoring was all done in the first half and High School got the initial touch ten minutes after the whistle blew. The teams lined up and the pigskin flew to Betterton. A quick pass

to Clark and a well judged punt put the ball within a few yards of the University line. McCallum, following up, touched the ball as it rolled over the line. Cedric Touhy took the kick but an uncertain field and a slippery ball spoiled the chance.

After this for several minutes the High School boys again gained ground on the University and were within three yards on one occasion. But once heeled out, a lefty kick to centre by McCallum saved any further opportunity of a touch. Then the ball slowly gained towards the High School line and a few minutes later it bounded over the line, with Steele a few feet ahead of the 'Varsity follower-up.

Following a scrum at the centre-line the ball edged out to Wild and with lightning quickness, this fast 'Varsity quarter made the lengthiest run of the game, making his try and touch good, tying the score and concluding the half. Touhy and Steele followed him closely but the quarterback had too much of a start. McCallum failed to convert, but made a good try under the wet conditions.

In the final half High School played the better game and had their forwards used their weight to better advantage throughout, the required few yards each time could have been made easily. Time and again, the University players would force High School back several yards while High School failed to realize that yard by yard they were losing ground. But not so with 'Varsity, for they understood the play and every bit of their weight was used. On the other hand it cannot be said that High School lacked weight in the scrummages, for here their weight was evinced. Little combination was displayed as it was impossible to do so, and the dribbling done was fairly good.

McCallum made a spectacular 35 yard run in the final half to annex one more touch, but time taken in dodging McDonald, the 'Varsity fullback, cost him the chance, for it allowed McCallum to catch up and down went McCallum. It was a splendid effort on the part of the High School player's part and throughout the game the two showed superb form. Clark and Touhy also played a cool headed game for High School.

McCallum showed his good form, but his followers did not use their usual tactics of passing him the ball. However, all this amounts to a different game on a wet field and taking all for all, it was a fair exhibition. The University played five men at three-quarters, but this line, and likewise High School, had little show to display any more.

Each school was well represented in the rooting line, despite the weather. The fair ones were also on hand in numbers.

The teams lined-up as follows:
University: Postell, High School: McDonald, Three-quarters: Dickson, Shaw, McCallum, Touhy, Wade, Clark, Westcott, Decker, Halbacks: Boggs, Finch, Backs: Warner, Croucher.

Andrew Carnegie Says:

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WOLGAST VS. NELSON

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2.—Preliminary arrangements for a twenty-round return match on December 24 between Lightweight Champion Ad Wolgast and "Batling" Nelson were completed last night according to promoter Louis Bick. Bick stated that the men would sign articles tomorrow. He said nothing about financial arrangements, beyond stating that the men had agreed to the terms proposed.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 2.—The Portland team was in a slugging game here today and out of 18 hits secured 11 runs while Vernon was able to get only one man across the plate. Henderson replaced Carlson in the box for Vernon in the sixth, but even that failed to stem the tide.

Score:
R H E
Portland 11 18 2
Vernon 1 1 1
Batteries—Carlson, Henderson, Schafer and Hogan; Steen and Fisher.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 2.—Howard hit the ball against the right field fence in the sixth inning today after Bernard had singled. Lalongo missing Perry's throw to the plate, Bernard scored and Howard ambling to third. Smith singled, scoring Howard. In the preceding innings the Angels scored when Halligan doubled and was scored on sacrifice hits by Delhi and Orendorf.

Score:
R H E
Los Angeles 4 9 2
Sacramento 2 9 2
Batteries—Delhi and Orendorf; Baum and Lalongo.
Umpires—Vanhatten and Finney.

OLDFIELD BARRED

Court Refuses to Interfere With Division of American Automobile Association

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 2.—Barney Oldfield today fought for three hours a great contest for the right to enter tomorrow's automobile meet here, and lost.

The attorneys for the American Automobile association held that instead of an injunction to force the local racing organization to allow him to race in defiance of his disqualification by the American Automobile association, Oldfield should have sought a mandamus to secure reinstatement. Oldfield's attorneys brought suit for \$20,000 damages against the American Automobile association and one for \$5,000 against the Atlanta association.

Oldfield's attorneys claimed that he had been disqualified by the American Automobile association without a hearing and that a disqualification of his Benz racer amounted to confiscation of property.

The attorneys argued that his race with Jack Johnson, which caused the disqualification, was justifiable because it would tend to discourage Johnson from future competition with athletic sportsmen. The opposition counsel replied that Oldfield's disbarment was automatic under the rules he himself had signed.

Judge Bell, after three hours and five minutes of argument ruled that he had no jurisdiction.

The three days' racing begins on the Atlanta speedway tomorrow morning with eight events, ranging from trials to a 100-mile race for a trophy and a cash prize of \$1,000.

ARCTIC WHALER HAS GOOD CRUISE

Jeannette Took Five Whales—Two of Crew Met With Accidents—Cargo Valued at \$60,000

Reporting a successful cruise, netting 32,000 pounds of whalebone, valued at \$60,000, the whaling brig Jeannette has arrived at San Francisco from the Arctic. The Jeannette took five whales of the bowhead species in six days, which is said to be a remarkable haul for such a short space of time.

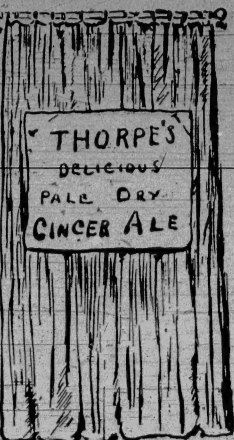
The cruise was marked by two serious accidents. On August 31st, when out after the first whale caught, Boatsteerer Manuel Tena, in a panic, fired a shot at the whale and was about to let away another when the gun was discharged and the bomb passed clear through his right arm, making a hole as large as a half dollar through the flesh. But for the medical skill of Captain Foley the harpener would probably have lost his arm, but the skipper rendered efficient treatment, removing the heavy burden from the wound with considerable difficulty.

The next mishap occurred when the second whale was being captured. Boatsteerer Tarry Gupta's gun went off prematurely. The bomb blew out the bow and forward side of the whale-boat and exploded. Gupta's breast was pierced by twenty-one pieces of brass. It required several days for Captain Foley to probe for and remove the pieces of metal, but finally he pulled the boatsteerer through.

Captain Foley's medical supplies ran out and he decided to make for Point Hope. He paid natives twenty pounds of tobacco and ten sacks of flour to take a messenger to Dr. Hayley, a physician, asking for some carbolic acid and other necessities, with which the missionary supplied him.

PROVINCIAL PRESS

A series of interesting experiments has demonstrated conclusively that fruit of the harder sorts will grow well on the Nicola Valley highlands. The Board of Montreal has advanced Prince Rupert sufficient funds to carry through the grading of all of section 1. Emil Vujan and Ouis Deleto, upon con-



The Initial Cost of Our Truss

Is a little more than of the common sort, but the comfort and safety guaranteed more than compensates.

RUPTURE

Sensitive women and children appreciate the absence of those troublesome, filthy straps and belts.

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viction for the perpetration of two burglaries at Union Bay recently, have been sentenced to five years' imprisonment. They had the spoils, as well as a kit of burglars' tools in their possession when apprehended.

Nanaimo's Moral Reform and Local Option League is urging the council of the Coal city to more vigorously enforce the liquor laws, and also to obliterate the restricted district.

The Blackwater road, giving Fort George through connection with the outside world, is now complete, and gives a much better road and shortened distance than the old trail.

The Dominion government has guaranteed the early establishment of an experimental farm in the Fort George district.

Fort George public school was formally opened on Monday last.

A weekly winter mail service is assured for Fort George.

Thanksgiving day witnessed the opening of the new three-story Fort George hotel, the best house of public entertainment in Central British Columbia and one of the best in the interior of British Columbia. The house has accommodations for 150 guests.

William Killock, a miner, received serious injuries through a rockfall in the mines at Middleboro last week.

Merritt badly needs a well-equipped auditorium, centrally located. The school children of Merritt are working at present under great disadvantages, owing to overcrowded conditions. One class has no desks, and the scholars write on their knees, going to their homes nightly completely tired out.

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Kelowna's new Presbyterian church was opened and dedicated last Sunday. W. C. Nichol of the "Province" must stand trial for the alleged criminal libelling by his paper of Mayor L. D. Taylor of the "World."

Crestonists have a new Anglican church.

Cumberland is to have a public night school.

Vancouver's building permits for October showed values of \$1,286,995.

Rev. J. B. Johnson has been installed into the pastorate of the Seymour street branch of Wesley church, Vancouver.

Chilliwack has now a steam laundry in full running order.

A record price of \$110 per foot has been set on Chilliwack inland property.

The first electric power motor in the Chilliwack district is operated in connection with the "New Era" plant.

The miners of the Nicola Codel and Coke Co. have contributed \$1,500 toward the new district hospital.

Mrs. Ellis, a recent arrival from the American side, is lying very ill at the Vancouver general hospital, deserted by her husband and with a new-born baby.

Ellis is said to be living near Nanaimo. A new Baptist church is to be formally opened today at Pekiaglad.

Daniel Costello died Thursday evening in a Vancouver lodging house, after inhaling illuminating gas, whether death was the result of accident or suicidal attempt is not as yet determined.

The federal railway commission has made a ruling on a complaint from the British Columbia side of the coast in which V. V. & E. crossings have been left on a number of arteries. The ruling provides for general improvements in the public interest, and for a 25-foot subway on Montrose avenue, 32 per cent of the cost of these improvements to be borne by the railway company and 48 per cent by the provincial government.

Legal obstacles having been removed, construction of the Port Moody & Indian River railway has been resumed.

At the beginning of the new year the civil authorities of New Westminster will seek authority for the issue of debentures for approximately \$3,000,000—possibly more—not taking into account the \$500,000 bylaw for sewer extensions, which will be voted on the 4th November.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4 **Victoria THEATRE** **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4**

MADAME MELBA

Has the following to say about this
Royal Welsh Ladies' Choir

The Welsh Choir is magnificent, and I should like to hear them, and you may see them on Monday, Oct. 31st.
The Big Musical Event of the Theatrical Season.
Prices—50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00. Seats on sale Monday, Oct. 31st.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7th
William Faversham
Supported by
Miss Julie Opp
and his company in
The World and His Wife

By Charles Frederic Nieldinger's
Prices—50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00.
Seat sale opens Friday, November 4th.

THEATRE
THREE NIGHTS
WEDNESDAY THURSDAY SATURDAY
Special Saturday Matinee
Welcome Return Engagement of the
Huron L. Blyden Co.

Presenting
SWEET CLOVER
Prices—50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00.
Seat sale opens Friday, November 4th.

DANCING
Miss Lapsansky

Wishes to announce that she has now taken over the Broad Street Rink, and will hold classes every Tuesday and Thursday, starting Nov. 1st, 1910.
Phone 1186.

and his partner, Mr. William Watson, are so well satisfied with their Sheep Creek property, the Mother Lode group, that they will at once install a stamp mill and proceed to actively develop it.

The new oil smelter at Van Anda is proving a complete success.

Prince Rupert is already complaining of congested public schools.

Mrs. Walter Gibbons, a well known resident of Ladysmith, is dead.

Messrs. Simpson, Mifflin and Baylis enjoy the distinction of being the first public school trustees for Crawford Bay, where a school has recently been established by the provincial authorities.

Considerable dissatisfaction exists in the Delta as to the manner in which the laying down of the water system is proceeding.

Efforts are being made to again try the convicts Doda and Ellis for their second attempt to break from custody during the progress of the present trial. It will be remembered that they were awaiting their return to the penitentiary, having just been given an additional six months, when they made an escape.

The New Westminster grand jury have paid a visit of admiration and approval to the asylum farm at Coquitlam.

Mr. McArthur, a Cobalt millionaire

New Grand Theatre

WEEK 31st OCTOBER

Charles Wayne and Company, in a sketch made for laugh purposes, "10 a.m. on 14th Morning-in-Law, Drama, 1400 ft. The Heim Children, the cleverest juveniles on the American stage. Johnson-Davenport-Lodola Trio, "The Varsity Boys and the Farmer. The dialectical songster, Thomas Potter Dunn, in comical characterizations. Actors, wizard of melody. New Moving Pictures. Our Own Orchestra.

Romano Photoplay Theatre
TODAY
A Woman's Wit, new production. The Best Cure, comedy screen, 1000 ft. An Unsuspecting Daughter-in-Law, Drama, 1400 ft. The Fruits of Vengeance, very fine, 1000 ft. Melba, Song, Romano Orchestra.

MAJESTIC THEATRE
YATES STREET
Wednesday and Thursday.
Do not miss this great programme. "The Oath and the Man," an exciting story of the French Revolution. "The Conqueror." "A Gold Storage Romance." "The Resurrection." "Rupture of Mr. Etno." "My Friend, the Doctor," a comedy that will make you laugh.

Strength and Grace
Result from "Roller Skating. No other form of exercise is half so pleasant and beneficial. Inspire a good time by going to.

Roller Skating Rink
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GRAND MASQUE CARNIVAL
Tuesday, November 15th. Valuable prizes given.
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Crystal Theatre
Broad Street
The Family's Favorite.
A Soldier's Sacrifice—1000 ft. war romance.
A Clergyman and His Wards—Drama 1000 feet.
Brisk Lives on Credit—A screacher.
A Day in Mick's Life—A Rousing comic, 1000 ft.
Song—Geo. McLeellan.
Admission, 10c; Children to Mat, 5c.

Lame back is one of the most common forms of muscular rheumatism. A few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment will give relief. For sale by all dealers.

Hunt Club to Be Organized

BALL FRANCHISE FOR VICTORIA

Sixth Place in the Northwest
League Awarded This City
— Official Announcement
Made Yesterday

SEATTLE, Nov. 2.—Victoria, B. C., and Portland, Ore., were admitted to

L. A. WATTALET
Victoria's baseball magnate. He is the man chiefly instrumental in obtaining a franchise in the Northwestern Baseball League for this city. He is president of the local association and, it is confidently expected, will assume general charge of the new professional aggregation.

membership in the Northwestern Baseball League at a meeting of the board of directors held here today. The a

Three caribou of the Osborn variety is another recent addition to the local museum. These are the gift of Capt. J. H. Brooks, of the Isthmians Club, London, England, a big game hunter who has made a number of trips through the western interior.

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Hard Drill Commences Thursday Night for First Victoria-Vancouver Match—Practice Match Ordered Saturday

There will be but little rest for the rough boys from this date... Capt. "Billie" Newcombe is on the warpath and when that happens the hair flies. Ordinarily "Billie" is a quiet but offensive looking fellow. You wouldn't think he could wipe away his characteristically good-humored smile long enough to be stern, businesslike and perhaps real cruel. But "Billie" is on the warpath and that is the order from now until the McKennie and the Cooper Keith trophies are either lost to or won for Victoria. One of this is for the benefit of the young athletic men who engage in chasing the gay and suffi-pigskin. A word to the wise is sufficient. Place aspirants for the honor or of a double orifice for the honor of the first Bill understand the need of showing "Billie" that they can deliver the goods.

iii Last night the wiry captain of the

city's rugby team was in a good humor. He called at the Colliat and unrolling a formidable bunch of manuscript, presented a list of names. "These," he said, "are those we have marked down as representing the material available for the Victor 1410-11 championship team. Maybe we have overlooked some if there are any strangers hankering for a game, we would be only too delighted to give them a chance to prove themselves in red and white." Anyway, we want the fellows to understand that we are in earnest. They must train or they'll hunt 'in vain for a place."

"But that wasn't all. 'Billie' was

sheet which he carries with him among his belongings. On it he writes the names of all the men who carried off the championships last year with two notable exceptions, namely, that of Lowry's fullback, Meredeth, and that of the team captain, who has returned to his home in the eastern states and the latter is visiting relatives in the Old Country. Apart from this, however, the "Old Guard" is intact. And what a happy group! The team captain counts to an extent for the greenhorned smile, is that there are all kinds of promising men out for the vacancies. In fact, so much material is available, that it is not unlikely that the bounds of professional football will be blown sky high by the time the

do not keep very wide awake.
Next Thursday night at the J. B. A. A. gymnasium the forwards will hold a drill in scrimmage formation. Afterwards they will be taken for a run. Later on it is the intention of using the Horse Show building for such practice. Several gatherings will take place there before the Islanders are called on to meet the Terminal City in a scheduled fixture.

In preparation for the opening game between Victoria and Vancouver which takes place on the 12th inst., the rugby players also will assemble at the Oak Bay grounds next Saturday afternoon. There two pairs of teams will meet, one wearing red and the other blue sweaters. The personnel of the respective aggregations follow:

Red—Fullback, Johnson; three-quarters, McGulgan, Vincent, Nason, Gillespie (H); halfbacks, Newcombe and Gillespie (A); forwards, Ross, Macpherson, Shoto Gilliland, Spencer, Hopwood, Heineke, Sweeney, Miller and Jeffs.

Blue—Fullback, Cooper; three-quarters, Thompson, Carrs, Henderson; Dendrod; halfbacks, Morton and Dickson; forwards, Simpson, Wolley, Macmillan, Milligan, Kennedy, ^{and} Brown. Day, Meredith, ^{and} Carlin.

(D) Newsmarch.

mission of these two cities will give the Northwestern League a six club circuit for next season. Portland will have continuous baseball, the Northwestern League playing there when the Coast League team is on the road.

Victoria was represented at today's meeting by L. A. Wattlet, president of the new Canadian club. Portland was not represented, but the \$1,000 forfeit had already been deposited and the proceedings went through without a hitch.

Basketball Meeting

The scheduled meeting of the Victoria and district basketball league will be held tomorrow night at the Y. M. C. A. quarters to organize for the coming season. All members are requested to be present.

Duncan is exceedingly anxious for the organization there of a patrol of

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ON FRIDAY, 11TH INST.

The first basketball game of the season is slated to take place a week Friday night, November 11, when the quintette of the local High School will meet the fast Y. M. I. champions of last year. The scene of the battle will be Institute Hall, View street owing to the fact that this year there will be no matches pulled off in the Assembly Ring.

The proceeds of the evening will be set apart for the athletic fund of the High School and it is likely that a large number of students and parents will turn out to see the match. High School and their opponents have been practicing for the past two weeks and with over a week yet to go, they will be in prime shape for the exhibition. Tickets have been issued and can be secured by any of the High School athletic committee. The High School plays the same line-up as will represent them in the city league.

The business of the Kootenay Jar company at Nelson has grown so during the past season that the proprietors are seeking new and large premises.

NEW HUNT CLUB IS PROJECTED

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Here Will be Revived—Or-
ganization Meeting This Af-
ternoon at Balmoral Hotel

Victoria is to have another Hunt Club. The horsewomen and men of the city are entering into the proposal with enthusiasm. Just how delighted they are at the prospect is shown by the fact that the organization meeting has been called for this afternoon and it is expected that the first run will take place next Saturday afternoon.

It is years since this sport was active here. Then with the officers of the Navy and Garrison and a large number of civilians the club possessed a large membership and was a flourishing institution. Its week-end parties, races and its annual gymkhana were events which will always be remembered by old-time Victoria sportsmen. That there is a possibility of fact practically an assurance, that these forms of exercise, pleasure, and public entertainment are to be revived will be a source of general satisfaction.

The new club will not lack for members. **Des Toimie**, president of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, is lending the movement his heartiest support. **Mrs. Cox** and **Miss Violet Pooley** are among the ladies who are doing everything in their power towards making the enterprise a success. Already they have been promised co-operation from so many sources that the organization should start out with a good, healthy membership. It is possible if the club is successful that polo will be inaugurated next season.

B. C. A. A. II Monthly Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of B. C. A. A. U. of this city will be in the Y. M. C. A. quarters tomorrow evening commencing at 8 o'clock, and hereafter the first Friday in each month. All delegates are requested to be present as a full meeting is looked for.

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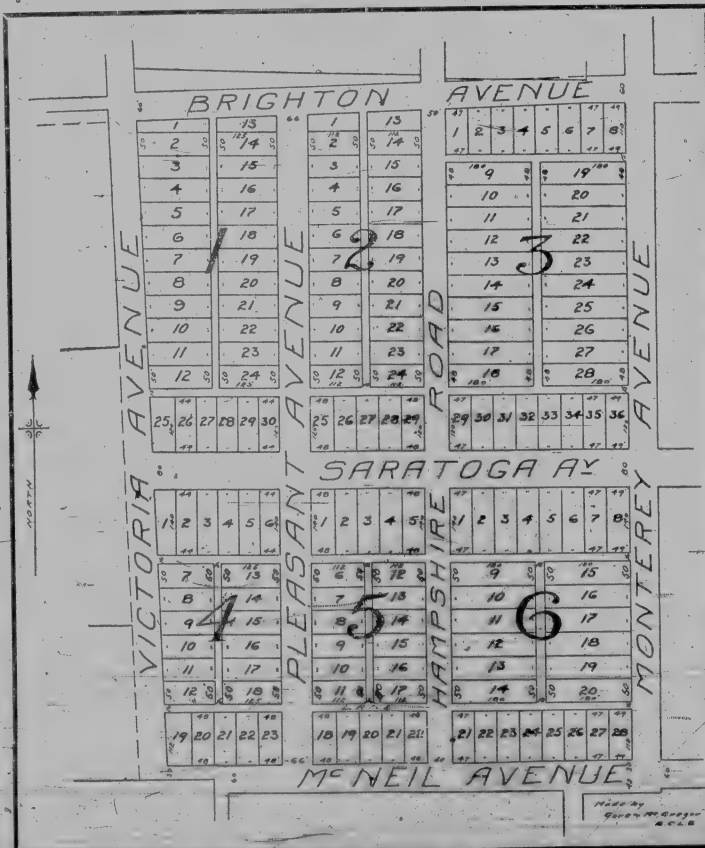
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COMMISSION TO TOUR THE WEST

Educationists Investigating Industrial and Technical Questions Will Reach British Columbia Next Month

Detailed information concerning the western trip of the Royal Commission on Industrial Training and Technical Education, which is making a comprehensive tour of America in behalf of the Dominion government has reached the provincial education department. It is in the form of a communication from Ottawa, which includes not only an outline of what matters are to be taken up in the cities visited, but also the commission's itinerary through the west.

The letter referred to follows:

Ottawa, Oct. 12, 1910.
Dear Sir:—I have the honor to intimate to you that the Royal Commission on Industrial Training and Technical Education proposes to visit places according to the itinerary outlined in the sheet which is enclosed herewith.

The commission will give particular attention to the manufacturing industries, to agriculture, to domestic occupations, to mining, to the fisheries, to the lumber interests, to the building trades, to the transportation services, as well as to the technical training required for commercial operations.

The commission will also make enquiry into, (a) the needs of existing industries in respect of labor, (b) the quality of labor which is available, and (c) the needs of such labor for industrial training and technical education.

The plan for the work of the commission at each place has ordinarily been as follows: A local committee representing the mayor, the board of trade, the manufacturers' association, the educational institutions, the trades and labor, interests, and any organiza-

tion identified with training for women, makes provision for a place in which to hold the sessions of the commission. That is usually the council chamber or court house. The local committee also notifies persons who represent the various local interests and industries that they will be expected to appear before the commission to testify in regard to the present equipment and needs of the place and locality in respect to industrial training and technical education. The commission votes part of each day to visiting the industrial establishments and educational institutions, and holds one or two sessions to receive testimony from those who desire to appear before it. The inquiry is ordinarily conducted by questions and answers, although those who appear before the commission may present information either by oral or written statement, bearing on the matters of the inquiry.

The commission will appreciate your co-operation in any manner which you may consider appropriate regarding any or all of these matters.

A reply to this might be addressed care of Deputy Minister of Labor, Ottawa, until October 25th, and after that date to reach me at any of the places and dates mentioned on the itinerary.

JAS. W. ROBERTSON,
Chairman.

Appended is the complete western itinerary:

Port Arthur, Ont., November 1; Fort William, Ont., November 2; Winnipeg, November 3 to 7; Portage la Prairie, November 8; Brandon, November 9; Moose Jaw, Sask., November 10; Regina, November 11; Saskatoon, Sask., November 12; Prince Albert, November 13; Edmonton and Strathcona, November 14 and 15; Calgary, November 16 and 17; Lethbridge, November 18; Medicine Hat, November 19; Vancouver, November 20 to 23; Nanaimo, December 1; Victoria, December 2 and 3; Penticton, November 21; Nelson, November 22; Vernon, November 23.

Thirteen well known citizens at Greenwood have recently been "washed" by the police authorities under the radical provisions of the new liquor act dealing with dipmaniacs.

Whitfish are reported extra plentiful in Okanagan lake.

REGIMENTAL KIT INSPECTION

Artillerymen Will Parade on Friday, November 11 for Annual Overhauling of Kit—Rifles Called in

The Fifth Regiment C. G. A. will parade at the Drill hall on Friday, November 11th when the annual kit inspection will be held. The parade has been called for eight o'clock and each man must attend with his kit, including overcoat and tunic. No leave will be granted for this parade. Dress—undress uniform. All rifles must be turned in at the Drill hall before Wednesday next.

The regimental orders issued yesterday by Lieut.-Col. A. W. Currie, commanding the Fifth Regiment, include the following:

Specialists—The next tri-annual test for specialists will take place on Saturday, November 12th, at 2.30 p. m. at Black Rock battery, all other specialists failing to attend at the time and place mentioned will be disqualified. Dress—undress uniform.

Officers meeting—The regular monthly meeting of the officers mess will be held in the Drill hall on Thursday, November 10th, at 8.30 p. m. Dress—undress uniform.

Sergeants meeting—The first regular monthly meeting of the sergeants mess will be held in the Drill hall on Thursday, November 10th, at 8 p. m. in muff.

AT THE CITY HOTELS

At the Empress—

C. H. Duke, Duncan; R. F. McLennan, Vancouver; R. W. Jones, Seattle; G. W. Dwyer, M. R. Webster, San Francisco; E. L. Prescott, Seattle; J. J. Ziedman, San Francisco.

Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. F. Cardwell, Calgary; H. Bryan, Chicago; Mrs. R. Sprague, W. C. Sprague, Seattle; W. J. Elmsdorf, Stewart; J. R. Warren, wife and daughter, city; R. D. Rolison, Vancouver; W. Smallfield, Renfrew; T. J. Mitchell, G. W. Seymour, W. J. Smith, A. S. Hark, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, T. A. Ritchie, W. A. Wilkins, D. Stuart, W. M. Pettick, Vancouver; H. J. Tapscott, Birmingham; H. J. Procter, W. Australia; R. W. Bissell and wife, Pittsburgh; P. H. Barneys, Los Angeles; J. Busch, E. A. Chisler, Vancouver; J. A. Smith and wife, Duluth; Capt. T. C. Hinch, Hinch, Housar; H. S. Kennedy, New Westminster; G. S. Terry, Seattle; G. F. Stearns, Bulkeley; C. M. Mars, San Francisco; T. Leo, Stewart; Commander Thompson, Ottawa; J. M. Benton.

At the Grand—

Eleanor Wilson, Frances McLane, Portland; A. W. Rudolf, Vancouver; W. Nelson, Seattle; R. S. Turnbull and wife, London, Ont.; J. S. Murray, city; C. C. Woods, P. J. Bonstead, Toronto; James Newbury, Vancouver; Mrs. Edmunds, Sydney Island; W. J. Burns, Vancouver; C. E. Vonholdt, A. W. Williams, Seattle; H. Bell, Irving, A. J. Bates, Vancouver; R. Parsons, Seattle; F. D. Whitehead and wife, Saskatoon; P. G. Bird, Vancouver; R. J. Remond, Minneapolis; G. H. Wright, Vancouver; H. S. Houghton, Portland; J. C. Smith, St. Paul; J. Flower, J. Blakeley, P. Blakeley, Vancouver; M. A. Rees, Canton, China; R. D. Priest, New York; C. Russell Barker, Colwood; Mrs. Lindsay, St. Bonswell; N. C. Howie, R. McLeod, Vancouver; C. C. Woods, Toronto.

At the King Edward—

R. Starnes, Port Townsend; C. E. Matz, E. H. Edmunds, Seattle; A. J. Blythe, Los Angeles; F. W. Clinger, Seattle; P. A. Reel, San Francisco; W. Godley, Duncans; C. A. Godfrey, W. B. Anderson, S. C. Lloyd, R. A. Ogilvie, Vancouver; P. D. Kehler, Mrs. Kehler, Calgary; J. Addison, Vancouver; G. M. Perdue, city; M. Chapman, city; A. Chappell, Vancouver; J. Murray, city; F. Colborne, Vancouver; J. Balfour, Calgary; R. R. Rupert, Tacoma; G. F. Haiger, Vancouver; G. Macdonald, Stewart; W. M. Woodburn, Seattle; L. T. Watson, Telegraph Creek; Dr. Houghton, Salt Spring Island; G. Houghton, London, Eng.; A. Goethel, East Sooke.

At the Dominion—

Mrs. Craig, Nanaimo; G. Baldwin and wife, N. Vancouver; H. Tokata, the Gorge; A. P. Yates, Nanaimo; W. Nell, Albert; Miss M. McDonald, Vancouver; H. Wirtell, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. J. Pear, Lethbridge, Ont.; W. A. Brown and wife, Vancouver; C. Denien, F. L. Tannen, Cougar Lake; P. Sidney, Fairbanks, Ala.; J. R. Kinsaid, J. P. Walker, Seattle; K. A. Ford, G. Higgins, S. W. Williams, Seattle; F. Vogel, Shasta; E. J. Conner, Minster Island; W. C. Gladwin, Vancouver; G. McCartney, J. H. Wallace, Vancouver; Mrs. T. Cornish, Cowichan Bay; J. H. Williams, New Westminster; W. Clark, Vancouver; A. Bricker, Cloverdale; E. Whistler and wife, Albert; H. Dickinson, G. Whistler, Vernon; D. Duncan, W. H. Sharp, M. H. Jackson, Vancouver; J. H. Jackson, Philadelphia; M. C. Case and wife, New York; Low Sling, Vancouver; Mrs. A. A. Vanover, A. A. Seare and wife, S. Johns, S. S. Troppe, P. D. Kenney, E. Summer, Vancouver; R. Gourley, Homer; E. L. R. Humphreys, city; S. H. Ker, Vancouver; J. Balmor, city.

At the Brunswick—

E. J. Talbot, Keating; L. P. Stolberg, E. Martin, Vancouver; K. Sturgeon and wife, Jordan River; W. J. Burnett, Sooke; C. G. Hurrell, Seattle; P. R. Godfrey, C. Kraworth, Vancouver; W. J. Ball, White Horse, Alaska.

At the Balmoral—

H. James, G. H. Townsend, Duncan; T. Richmond and wife, New Westminster; H. G. Munro, C. Hansen, Prince Rupert; Mrs. S. Richards, Mrs. W. B. Robertson, Vancouver.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

Stock	Bid	Asked
Alberia Canadian Oil	10 1/2	11
Amer. Canadian Oil	10 1/2	11
Canadian Northwest Oil	10 1/2	11
Alberia Coal and Coke	10 1/2	11
Diamond Vale C. and C.	10 1/2	11
International C. and C.	10 1/2	11
Nicola Valley C. and C.	10 1/2	11
Royal Collieries	10 1/2	11
Western C. and C.	10 1/2	11
R. C. Peris Loan	127 1/2	128
Dominion Trust Co.	100 1/2	101
Gr. West Fern. (A)	124 1/2	125
Gr. West Fern. (B)	124 1/2	125
Pac. Whaling com.	85 1/2	86
Pac. Whaling pfd.	85 1/2	86
Stewart Land	71 1/2	72
S. A. Serip	71 1/2	72
Elster Creek	29 1/2	30
Glenora Creek	29 1/2	30
Mainland	29 1/2	30
O. K. Fraction	29 1/2	30
Portland Canal	24 1/2	25
Portland Wonder	24 1/2	25
Red Cliffs	24 1/2	25
Stewart M. and D.	24 1/2	25
Claskeing	12 1/2	13
Lanquett	12 1/2	13
Lucky Jim	12 1/2	13
Lucky Jim	12 1/2	13
Shawmut	12 1/2	13
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CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

(Published by E. W. Stevenson & Co., CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—After a decidedly active market for the entire session, the volume of trading in wheat greatly increased, and the selling in the market was the best for many weeks. The market closed with a considerable show of strength. The first bullish influence was weak cable. This was marked by a rise in the futures market. It was not until the hour later, that the influential buying began and started the strong uptick. St. Louis sent a message that a small round lot of wheat had been sold for export there. Kansas City was just as positive that export business in several cents out of line. The shabard confirmed some scattered sales of Manitoba wheat abroad.			
Wheat—	Open	High	Low
Dec.	95 1/2	96 1/2	95 1/2
May	95 1/2	96 1/2	95 1/2
July	95 1/2	96 1/2	95 1/2
Dec.	45 1/2	46 1/2	45 1/2
May	45 1/2	46 1/2	45 1/2
July	45 1/2	46 1/2	45 1/2
Dec.	31 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2
May	31 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2
July	31 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2
Dec.	17 1/2	18 1/2	17 1/2
May	17 1/2	18 1/2	17 1/2
July	17 1/2	18 1/2	17 1/2
Dec.	9 1/2	10 1/2	9 1/2
May	9 1/2	10 1/2	9 1/2
July	9 1/2	10 1/2	9 1/2
Dec.	8 1/2	9 1/2	8 1/2
May	8 1/2	9 1/2	8 1/2
July	8 1/2	9 1/2	8 1/2

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New York Money Rates.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Money on call strong, 3 1/2% to 4% per cent, ruling rate, 3 1/2%; closing bid 3 1/2%; offered at 4 per cent. Time loans firm but very dull, 60 and 90 days, 4 1/2% to 5 per cent; six months, 4 1/2% to 5 per cent; Prime mercantile paper, 5 1/2% to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady at recovery with actual business in bankers' bills at 4-52-20 for 60 days and at 4-56 for demand. Commercial bills—\$4 84 1/2, 4-81 1/2. Bar silver, 56 cents. Mexican dollars, 40 cents.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Plaxton

The remains of the late Miss Lillian Plaxton are resting at the Victoria Undertaking parlors awaiting the arrival of her father when the funeral arrangements will be made.

Pineo

The funeral of the late Mrs. Georgia Ananda Pine took place yesterday morning from the residence of Mr. A. J. Pine, 1224 Belmont avenue. Impressive services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Jackson, Vancouver, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Pratt of Calgary and Rev. W. Stevenson and Rev. H. A. Carson of this city. "Lead Kindly Light" and "Rest In Peace" were among the hymns sung. A large number of the Pine family friends were present at the service and the casket was literally covered with floral pieces. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery. The pallbearers were B. K. Ray, W. Riley, J. Lipscombe, R. Thum, Jr., R. W. Clarke and G. P. Merryfield. The singing was rendered by a special quartette.

Russell

All that was mortal of the late James Russell were laid to rest in the Ross Bay cemetery yesterday and many friends, both young and old of the

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pioneer attended the funeral. The cortege left the residence of his son, Dr. Russell, Pandora avenue, at 2.30 o'clock, where services were conducted by the Rev. W. Leslie Clay and Rev. Dr. Reid. Rev. Mr. Day officiated at the grave. Rev. W. A. Macdonald and Rev. Mr. Collins of Cedar Hill assisted. Members of the St. Andrew's, Caledonia and St. William Wallace societies and the Presbyterian Lodge, L. O. G. T., attended the funeral in a body. The funeral train was very impressive. The following were the pallbearers: R. G. Featherstone, James Todd, John Irving of the Cedar Hill district, Dr. Lewis Hall, Jan. Grieco and James Mune of this city.

Black bears are reported numerous in the South Vancouver district.

Two Indians recently robbed P. Burns & Co's warehouse at Hazelton of \$40 worth of supplies. The law-breakers were captured by the police within forty-eight hours.

The foundation stone of the new (university) Home and Emergency Hospital at Duncan was laid last Saturday with impressive Masonic ceremonies.

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Curious Fluctuations in Stocks Give Unhealthy Appearance to Market—Copper Shares Show Strength

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—The stock market remained flat to the point of stagnation today, reflecting the suspension of operations on a large scale by the post office and the fact that the market has fostered the upward movement through the month of October. With the advent of dullness and neglect there have emerged into view the same old factors which mark the position which arouse distrust.

An example is found in the incident of the erratic fluctuations in Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis. The order to suspend the sale of a single 100 share lot of the stock at \$1 following the close of the previous day at 71 and an immediate rebound to 70 gave rise to widespread comment. The explanation was that the commission in request to the stock exchange authorities, to record the bid, and quotations for the stock were asked from time to time during the afternoon. At 6:59 to time day, the price was 69 and 70 there was no better bid at one time than 61 for the stock, although none was offered for the time at less than 63½. The explanation of this was that the stock was not sold under during the present year.

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The close of the year found the movement of the metals market pointed to relaxation in the immediate future. A decline in foreign exchange rates here and a rise in the New York exchange on Chicago both tended to lighten—pressure on New York money supplies. The Federal Reserve Bank, however, increased its requirement for cash on the New York banks. The local call rate rose today 4½ per cent, making the highest of the fall season.

Some strength was shown by copper in London, which was moved by the predictions of early improvement in the trade rather than by actual developments. The price of copper metal rose in London again.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales were \$1,167,000. United States bonds were scarce and in call.

NEW YORK STOCKS

(Published by F. W. Stevenson & Co., New York, Nov. 2.)—The stock market displayed good strength throughout today's session. The activity was somewhat less than in the previous session, and the same as market features have been supplanted by the Copper issues. It is said that the borrowing demand of the Government has been therefore, indicating a contraction in the short interest, but at the same time the market has been holding its place. Foreigners were reported buying stocks today, especially British and French issues. The chief concern of business, political news and the various reports, regarding the French rate of exchange, has attracted much attention today but as November 3 approaches it is thought that the feeling of uncertainty will become more acute.

Stock.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	74 1/2	70 3/4	71 1/2
Amer. Loco.	81 1/2	80 1/2	80 3/4
Amer. Malt	118 1/2	118	118 1/2
Amer. Sugar	118 1/2	118	118 1/2
Amer. Woolen	34 1/2	34	34 1/2
Am. Zinc	105 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2
Atchafson	105 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2
B. and O.	74 1/2	77	77 1/2
B. N. Y.	201	200	200 1/2
Cent. Leather	84	83 1/2	84 1/2
Cent. and Ohio	84	83 1/2	84 1/2
C. and G. W.	125 1/2	124 1/2	125 1/2
C. M. and St. P.	125 1/2	124 1/2	125 1/2
Colo. Southern	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Con. Gas	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Con. N. G.	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
Erie	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Goldfield Cons.	127 1/2	126 1/2	127 1/2
Gr. and Ind.	80	80 1/2	80 1/2
Gr. Ore. Nor.	80	80 1/2	80 1/2
Unions Cons.	127 1/2	126 1/2	127 1/2
K. and Southern	95 1/2	93	95 1/2
L. and N.	95 1/2	93	95 1/2
Mackay Cos.	141 1/2	139	141 1/2
So. Pac.	141 1/2	139	141 1/2
M. K. and T.	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Missouri Pac.	54 1/2	54	54 1/2
Nat. Biscuit	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
N. Y. Central	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
N. Y. and N. E.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Norfolk and W.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Pacific Mail	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2
Pacific Ry.	132	131 1/2	132
Peoples Gas	153 1/2	152 1/2	153 1/2
Reading	153 1/2	152 1/2	153 1/2
Rep. I. and S.	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Road and	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Sloss Sheffield	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Southern Pac.	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Tenn. Copper	38 1/2	37 1/2	38 1/2
Texas Pac.	174 1/2	173 1/2	174 1/2
U. S. Rubber	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
U. S. Steel	117 1/2	116 1/2	117 1/2
Utah Copper	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Wabash	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
West Union	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Westinghouse	73 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Wisconsin Cen.	321.00	321.00	321.00

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Stock	114 1/2
Amal. Asbestos	13 1/2
Atl. Telephone	143 1/2
Can. Cons. Rubber	94
Detroit United	65
Dorm. C. and I. pfd.	113
Dorm. Textile	62
do pfd	87 1/2
Halifax Tramway	128 1/2
Illinois Trust Co.	128 1/2
Price of Woods	128
Laurentide Paper	155
do pfd	155
Mex. Lt. and Power	133 1/2
Montreal Cotton Co.	133 1/2
Mont. Lt. and Power	140 1/2
Montreal St. Ry.	121 1/2
Ogden Mfg. Co.	121 1/2
do pfd	121 1/2
Penmans Ltd.	68 1/2

METAL MARKETS

London copper close: Spots, 57
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5, sales 2300 tons.
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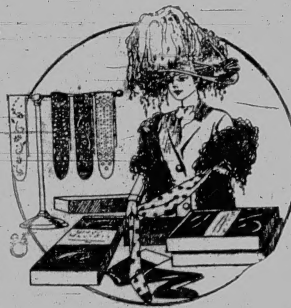
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 Women's Hose, in heavy weight black cashmere, with high spliced heel, sole and toe, full fashioned. Price **50c**

Women's Cashmere Hose, winter weight, seamless feet, reinforced heel and toe, full fashioned. Price **50c**
 Women's Cashmere Hose, in black and tan, full fashioned and seamless throughout. Price **25c**

Business Going on as Usual

in many of the departments in the Driard Hotel B'lding. A very large stock is now in place, and you will be well pleased at the great selection to be had now, and goods will be pouring into the store every day.

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Reopened Wednesday morning, November 2nd, at the corner of Broad and View Streets in the Driard Block, with a new and well assorted stock of Men's, Youth's and Boys' Clothing, Hats, and Caps.

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 50 COTTON FILLED COMFORTERS, double bed size, assorted patterns. Thursday, each **\$1.25**
 50 PAIR ALL WOOL WHITE BLANKETS, pink and white border, Thursday, pair **\$3.90**
 1,000 YARDS 36-INCH FLANNELETTE in assorted stripes and colors. Thursday, yard **10c**

25 DOZ. BLEACHED HUCKABACK TOWELS, 2 for **25c**
 12 ONLY PURE EIDERDOWN COMFORTERS, covered figured silk on one side and figured satens on the other side **\$9.75**
 2,000 YARDS ENGLISH SHIRTINGS in assorted patterns, fast colors. Thursday at **25c**
 1,000 YARDS REVERSIBLE PRINTED SCRIM—These goods are used extensively for living rooms, dens, etc. Printed both sides on cream, ecru and arale grounds in good combination, shades of red and green, green and brown, gold green, and blue and brown, with heavy border on both sides. Worth 35c and 45c yard. Thursday morning, yard **25c**

Business Going on As Usual

in many of the departments in the Driard Hotel Building. A very large stock is now in place and you will be well pleased at the great selection to be had now, and goods will be pouring in to the store every day.

Gloves for Women

Women's Heavy Driving Gloves **\$1.75**
 Perrin's Marchioness Glace Kid Gloves, two clasp, well sewn. Colors, beaver, tan, brown, slate, white and black. Guaranteed. Price **\$1.00**

Trefousse Gloves, Dorothy, in glaze kid, two clasp, fancy stitched backs. All colors. Price **\$1.50**
 Black Suede Jauvin Gloves, 2 clasp. **\$1.50**
 Complete Range of Dogskin Gloves, lined and unlined. From, per pair **\$1.00**

Underwear for Women

Women's Fleece-Lined Vests and Drawers, in grey, natural and white. Price 35c and **40c**
 Zenith Underwear, in white and natural wool and cotton mixture, unshrinkable. Price, per garment **90c**

Swiss Underwear, in wool and silk mixture, vest with long and short sleeves, high and low neck. Price, \$1.50 to **\$1.00**
 Women's Combination Suits, in short sleeve and knee length. Price **\$3.00**
 Women's Combinations, in ankle length and long sleeves. Price **\$3.50**

Boys' Clothing Department

BOYS' 2-PIECE DOUBLE BREASTED, with knickerbocker bloomer style, in fancy Tweeds, Worsted, blue and black Serges. Prices, \$3.50 to **\$6.75**
 BOYS' 2-PIECE NORFOLKS, in Tweeds, greys, browns, and green mixtures, with plain knickers and knickerbockers. Prices, \$2.90 to **\$4.50**

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CRAVENETTE WATERPROOF OVERCOATS, in greys and fawns. Price, \$5.75 to **\$10.00**
 BOYS' CAPS, in tweeds and serges, in Golf and Motor styles. Prices, 25c, **50c**
 BOYS' THREE-PIECE SUITS in single and double breasted, in fine Tweeds and fancy Worsteds. Prices \$4.50 to **\$12.50**

1,000 Yards of Dress Goods on Sale Today, 65c yd

There are beautiful waves in this collection all wool goods, of fine quality and in beautiful tones. Materials best adapted for women's and misses suits and dresses, in all wanted shades. Only on the rarest occasion has such an offer been made and you should not fail to take full advantage of this extraordinary offer.

Widths range 44 to 50 inches. Bought at less than manufacturer's cost. Per yard **65c**

1,000 Yards of Silk on Sale Today, at 75c Per Yard

This lot comprises of Shot Merv, Paisley's-Pailette, Surah, Fancy Massalines, Checks, Satins, in all shades. Thursday, per yard **75c**

4,000 Yds. Ribbon to Be Cleared, Today, at 15c

Taffeta Silk Ribbons in all the newest and faintest colors. This line of ribbons usually sells at 25c and 35c a yard, but this is a special purchase and is to be cleared Today at, per yard **15c**



In the Millinery Dept. You Will Find Reflected Fashion's Latest Demands

An unequalled showing of the newest New York and Toronto patterns are being admired by many. We have also just received a large shipment of Beaver Hats in all the latest shapes, which will be on display tomorrow.

Two Popular Styles in Women's Waists

Women's Waists of white figured mercerized vesting, made with centre box pleats and the fashionable Gibson pleat extending over the shoulder to waist line, regulation shirt waist sleeve, finished with neatly stitched tailored cuffs, detachable linen collars. Price **\$2.25**
 Women's Waists, made of fine quality pure Irish linen. The front is daintily embroidered. Full length shirt waist sleeves, with stiff white linen cuffs, detachable linen collar. Prices range from \$5.75 to **\$2.25**

Fancy Hat Pins

Hat Pins, set with large fancy colored stones. Price, each **5c**
 Hat Pins, with crystal, colored glass and jet heads. Price **10c**

Men's Silk Ties at 25c and 50c

We have a large assortment of Ties, which we have just received. In this lot you will find a good selection in the newest shades and stripes. Special 50c and **25c**

Men's Linen Collars

We have a full range of Men's Linen Collars. All the newest shapes. Two for **25c**

Children's Coats

Children's Bearskin Coats, with large turn down collars, trimmed with silk braid and heavy silk frogs. Others plainly finished with pearl buttons. Prices range from \$1.50 to **\$5.00**
 Children's Blanket Coats, in red, trimmed with silk braid and self colored buttons, pockets on each side, single-breasted style, with military collars and cuffs. Price **\$2.00**

Men's Furnishings Department

Men's Shirts, made of print and cambric, in the outing style, with soft front and starched cuffs. A large variety. Special, \$1.25 and **\$1.00**



Men's Shirts, made of pure wool imported flannel, in fancy stripes, with detachable collar to match. Prices range from \$3.50 to **\$1.75**

Men's Heavy Working Shirts, in stripe and plain blue, all sizes **75c**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR
 Men's Shirts and Drawers, in heavy fleece-lined and wool and cotton mixtures, all sizes. Per garment **50c**
 Men's Shirts and Drawers, in heavy wool mixtures, all sizes. Per garment **75c**
 Men's Natural Wool Medium Weight Shirts. Special **75c**
 Men's Natural Wool Medium Weight Drawers. Special, **\$1.00**
 MEN'S SOX
 Men's Sox, made of heavy wool heather mixture. Special, per pair, 50c, 35c and **25c**
 Men's Black Cashmere Sox, all sizes. Prices range from 50c to **25c**